

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING TELECOMMUNICATION  
SERVICES BY A PLURALITY OF SERVICE PROVIDERS

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

According to one embodiment of the invention, a method for providing communications services includes providing a digital subscriber line access multiplexer 5 having a plurality of line cards. Each line card has one or more ports. The method also includes granting control of a first subset of the ports to a first service provider and granting control of a second subset of the ports to a second service provider.